



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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P. James Nicholson, Treasurer
Maine Republican Party
76 Silver Street
Waterville, ME 04901

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Reference: Mid-Year Report (1/1/95-6/30/95)

Dear Mr. Nicholson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why the disbursements were made. Please amend Schedule B of your report to clarify the following description(s): in-kind transfers. For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursements, please refer to 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3).

-Please identify the name and address of the payee for the in-kind contributions disclosed on Schedule B for Line 21.

-On Schedule H4 supporting Line 21(a) of the Detailed Summary Page, you have failed to include the total EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE amount for a payment(s) to each payee. Please amend your report to include the missing EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE total(s).

-Please confirm that the amount listed on Line 21(b) represents a 100% payment, from the federal account, of the total cost of each individual expenditure.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,

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